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# CARRANZA DEMANDS RECALL OF TROOPS

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Mexico City, May 31.—Claiming that the words and protests of the United States have been entirely in contradiction of their acts, Carranza today issued a note to the United States in which he protests not to intervene in the affairs of Mexico, soldiers of the United States are now in Mexico without the consent of the Mexican government, and in violation of Mexico's sovereignty, the Mexican government now asks for the immediate withdrawal of those troops. The request is made in a 12,000-word note made public at the foreign office today about noon.

The note recites that American troops crossed the frontier after the Columbus incident without the permission of the Mexican government. The act was not considered one of invasion then, and now Carranza says that the attitude of the Mexican government. When the second expedition crossed the line after the Glenn Springs incident, the note maintains, the plea that this was done with the consent of the Mexican consul at Del Rio, Tex., is untenable and that act can only be considered as one of invasion.

"The Mexican government therefore invites the United States to bring to an end this unsupportable situation," the note concludes, "and to support its protestations and declarations of friendship by an immediate withdrawal of the American troops."

#### Washington Must Declare Itself.

Maintaining that the protests of Carranza are in violation of the United States' policy of non-intervention have been contradicted by the acts of the Washington government, the note says the time has arrived when Carranza must declare itself clearly and unequivocally as to its future intentions toward Mexico.

#### An Act of Invasion.

After reciting the facts which led to the first crossing of the frontier by

the American troops after the villa raid at Columbus, the note insists that in contradiction of the words of General Scott and Carranza, the United States expedition crossed the boundary line, thus violating all the precepts of international law and committing an act of invasion.

#### Work of Expedition Ove.

"The American government," says the note, "has admitted that the work of the expedition which entered after the Columbus raid is now over. But in spite of this fact, American troops still remain on Mexican soil. To contend that political disorder in this country justifies this act of the American military forces is in conflict with the repeated professions of the Washington government relative to non-interference."

#### Refers to Embargo on Arms.

The note points out that much of the trouble in Mexico is due "to the attitude of the United States in not punishing conspirators in the United States who plotted the downfall of the constitutional government and in refusing the shipment of arms and ammunition to enter Mexico."

#### The Note in Part.

The note, which is addressed to Secretary Lansing, reads in part as follows:

"The Mexican government has just received advice that a group of American troops have crossed the frontier and penetrated Mexican territory and are at present near a place called El Pinar, some seventy miles to the south of the frontier. This newly effected passage of these troops without the consent of the Mexican government places in grave danger the harmony and good relations which ought to exist between the govern-

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## WOONSOCKET WOMAN BEING TRIED FOR MURDER

### Mrs. Hattie E. Oakley—The Poisoned Cream Puffs Case.

Providence, R. I., May 31.—Mrs. Hattie E. Oakley was placed on trial here today for the murder of Almond Vadeboncoeur of Woonsocket who died recently after eating poisoned cream puffs. A jury was obtained without difficulty, only sixteen men being called.

In opening for the state Assistant Attorney Gen. Abbott Phillips asserted that witnesses would testify that Mrs. Oakley bought poison similar to that found in the puffs the day before they were delivered and that it was her handwriting on the package in which they were sent by special delivery mail to Henry Casavant who gave several of them to Vadeboncoeur. Casavant, who ate one of the puffs, had been in a hospital much of the time since. The state contended that the defendant was jealous of Casavant's attentions to another woman.

## INVESTIGATING CHARGES OF ANTI-JEWISH FEELING

### In the New York National Guard— Discrimination Is Claimed.

New York, May 31.—Investigation as to the charges of the existence of anti-Jewish feeling in the New York National Guard was begun here today before Adjutant General Storey by Max J. Klein as complainant against Captain Howard E. Sullivan of Battery D, Second Field Artillery. Klein charges that Sullivan rejected his application to join the battery because of racial discrimination. The complainant's attorney, Maurice S. Simmons, representing the committee for the protection of the good name of immigrant peoples, said that he would present other cases of discrimination in the different Guard regiments.

## PRIMA DONNA LEFT JEWELS WORTH APPROXIMATELY \$250,000

### Will of Clara Louise Kellogg-Strakosch Admitted to Probate.

New Hartford, Conn., May 31.—The will of Clara Louise Kellogg-Strakosch was admitted to probate by Judge Frank L. Whitney today. The value of the estate is not indicated, but her jewels, which were the gift in many instances of royal personages in Europe, are said to have a value approximately of a quarter of a million dollars.

## Movements of Steamships

Liverpool, May 30.—Arrived: Steamer Scandinavian, Montreal.

Christianland, May 31.—Arrived: Steamer Oscar II, New York.

New York, May 31.—Sailed: Steamer Lapland, Liverpool.

Genoa, May 30.—Arrived: Steamer Re d'Italia, New York.

## Cabled Paragraphs

### A Zeppelin Destroyed.

London, May 31, 10.25 a. m.—A Central News despatch from Amsterdam says that a German Zeppelin, descending near Vele, on near Salsland front, came in contact with some trees and was destroyed.

### With General Garcia's Command

London, May 31, 4 p. m.—The Whit Monday bank holiday falling on June 12, has been officially postponed until August 8, for all classes. Premier Asquith made this announcement in the House of Commons today, stating that owing to the urgent munitions requirements it was proposed, by proclamation to postpone the holiday. The banking interests were agreeable to the arrangement, he said.

### EXPLORER SHAKLETON IS AT FALKLAND ISLANDS

Started from England on Antarctic Trip in August, 1914.

London, June 1, 3.07 a. m.—Lieutenant Sir Ernest Shackleton, the Antarctic explorer, has arrived safely at Port Stanley, Falkland Islands.

The news that Lieutenant Shackleton had returned to the United Kingdom by air yesterday, the message was from the explorer himself and announced his arrival at Port Stanley. The message said his ship, the Endurance, had been "crushed" in a Weddell Sea ice floe last October, but that it drifted until mid-winter, when he and his party left the ship at Elephant Island, in the South Shetland group.

The explorer left in a small boat with five men a week later to summer help, leaving 22 men behind. All were well, but in a situation requiring the quickest possible relief.

The message of Lieutenant Shackleton was dated Port Stanley, May 31. It said that he left Elephant Island April 24. The gravest fears had been entertained for the explorer during the past two weeks owing to the absence of news from the Endurance and in the house of commons yesterday, Premier Asquith said that the government had approved of a committee appointed by the admiralty to give advice regarding a relief expedition.

Sir Ernest Shackleton's expedition which had as an object the crossing of the Antarctic continent from Weddell Sea to Ross Sea, started from England in August, 1914. Sir Ernest with one section of the party went to Buenos Aires and the other section to Tasmania. At Buenos Aires, in October, 1914, Sir Ernest sailed for Weddell Sea. The other party later proceeded from Tasmania by the steamer Aurora for Ross Sea.

It was hoped Sir Ernest and his party would join it after crossing the continent.

Early in the present year the Aurora returned to Port Chalmers, New Zealand, having broken adrift in the ice on May 8, 1915. Eight of her men were ashore when the Aurora was wrecked and nothing had been heard from Shackleton and his companions at that time.

Port Stanley is the capital of the Falkland Islands, which lie in the South Atlantic off the southeast of Argentina.

## FORD'S BUSINESS MANAGER NOT ON A PEACE MISSION, Going Abroad to Look Over Sites for Assembling Plants.

Hoboken, N. J., May 31.—Gaston Plantiff, business manager for Henry Ford, was one of the passengers who sailed today for Europe on the ship Frederick VIII of the Scandinavian-American line. He denied that his trip was the forerunner of another peace expedition from Ford's factory abroad to look over sites where assembling plants might possibly be erected as branches of Mr. Ford's factory.

Mr. Ford may go abroad in about a month. Mr. Plantiff stated in reply to a question as to whether his employer contemplated European peace missions, permanent organizations, rules and order of business and resolutions.

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## House Votes for Armor Plate Plant

### BILL CARRIES AN APPROPRIATION OF \$11,000,000 THEREFOR.

#### FINAL VOTE 165 TO 91

##### Party Lines Were Broken Down on Every Vote—Measure Calls for \$3,500,000 for Aeroplanes and for 2,730 Additional Sailors.

Washington, May 31.—Amendments to the naval appropriation bill to provide for a \$11,000,000 government armor plate plant, for \$3,500,000 instead of \$2,000,000 worth of aeroplanes, for 2,730 additional sailors and for a bonus system to encourage the speedy construction of the armor plate plant, were adopted today by the house sitting as the committee of the whole.

#### Party Lines Broken Down.

Party lines were broken down on every vote. Twenty-two republicans and two progressives joined the democrats in voting for the armor plate proposal, the final vote being 165 to 91.

#### Vote on Aeroplanes Amendment.

Thirteen democrats lined up with the republicans on the amendment to increase the number of aeroplanes from 2,000 to 2,730. The bonus and increased personnel amendments were adopted overwhelmingly without roll calls.

#### Armor Plate Has Passed in Senate.

Debate on the armor plate amendment, which already had been passed as a separate bill in the senate, centered around the question of whether the Bethlehem Steel company, the largest private manufacturer of plate, had treated the government fairly in dealings with it.

## REPUBLICAN NATIONAL COMMITTEE MEETS TODAY

### To Hear Contests Involving Right to be Delegates to Sit in the Convention— Order of Business of Convention.

Chicago, May 31.—Members of the republican national committee met in the Coliseum at 10 o'clock tomorrow morning to hear forty contests involving the right of 62 delegates to sit in the convention. The committee will hold daily sessions and expects to conclude its work Saturday so that the temporary roll of delegates may be prepared by Secretary James B. Reynolds of the national committee. A majority of the contests are in southern states and the result is not expected to affect the chances of the presidential candidates.

Final plans for the convention were approved by the sub-committee of the committee on arrangements of the republican national committee, which has been meeting since the sub-committee approved the following program for the first two days of the convention:

Wednesday, June 1.—Convention called to order 11 a. m., by Charles D. Hilles, of New York, chairman of the republican national committee.

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